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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	<i>Application Number</i>	09/725,957
	<i>Filing Date</i>	30 November 2000
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Linda J. HARRIS
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1614
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	
	<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	2315-115
<i>Title of the Invention:</i> TOLERANCE OF TRICHOTHECENE MYCOTOXINS IN PLANTS THROUGH THE MODIFICATION OF THE RIBOSOMAL PROTEIN L3 GENE		

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the *Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(b)* dated 06 March 2001, and concurrently with the response thereto filed this date, Applicants hereby request entry of the following amendments:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please enter the attached pages 1-18 of Sequence Listing submitted herewith.

REMARKS

A Sequence Listing is herewith provided in response to the *Notice to File Missing Parts of Application*. No new matter is introduced by the Sequence Listing, and its entry is respectfully requested.